

Chambers of District Judge Edward J. Davila

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Edward J. Davila
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
Education: San Diego State 1976 BA; Hastings 1979 JD
Began Service: March 4, 2011
Appointed By: President Barack Obama

Government: Deputy Public Defender, Office of the Public Defender, County of Santa Clara, California (1981-1988)

Judicial: Judge, Chambers of Judge Edward J. Davila, County of Santa Clara, Superior Court of California (2001-2011)

Legal Practice: Partner, Davila & Polverino, Attorneys at Law (1988-2001)

Chambers of Senior Judge Samuel Conti

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Samuel Conti
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922
Education: Santa Clara U 1945 BS; Stanford 1948 JD
Began Service: 1970
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Government: Assistant City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Concord, California (1960-1965); City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Concord, California (1965-1967)

Judicial: Judge, Superior Court of California (1967-1970)

Legal Practice: Partner, Coll & Conti (1948-1950)

Military Service: United States Army (1942-1944)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Contra Costa County Bar Association; State Bar of California

Staff

Law Clerk **Joshua Weddle** (415) 522-4080
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Thelton E. Henderson
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
Education: UC Berkeley 1956 BA; Boalt Hall 1962 JD
Began Service: 1980
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Assistant Dean, Stanford University (1968-1976); Associate Professor of Law, Golden Gate University (1978-1980)

Government: Attorney, Civil Rights Division, United States Department of Justice (1962-1963); Directing Attorney, Legal Aid Society of San Mateo County (1966-1968)

Legal Practice: Associate, FitzSimmons & Petris (1964-1966); Rosen, Remcho & Henderson (1977-1980)

Chambers of Senior Judge Thelton E. Henderson continued

Military Service: United States Army (1956-1958)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Edward McFetridge American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The American Law Institute; Charles Houston Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; National Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Sarah Ruby** (415) 522-2047
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D. Lowell Jensen
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1928
Education: UC Berkeley 1949 AB; Boalt Hall 1952 LLB
Began Service: 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Lecturer, National College of District Attorneys (1977); Short Course for Prosecutors, Northwestern University (1979-1982)

Government: Deputy District Attorney, County of Alameda, California (1955-1966); Assistant District Attorney, County of Alameda, California (1966-1969); District Attorney, County of Alameda, California (1969-1981); Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1981-1983); Associate Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1983-1985); Deputy Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1985-1986)

Military Service: United States Army (1952-1954)

Staff

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Ronald M. Whyte
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Wesleyan U 1964 AB; USC 1967 JD
Began Service: March 2, 2009
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Judge, California Superior County, Santa Clara County (1989-1992)

Legal Practice: Nichols, Stead, Boileau & Lamb (1967-1968); Attorney, Hoge, Fenton, Jones & Appel, Inc. (1971-1989)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1968-1971)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; Northern California Chapter, Association of Business Trial Lawyers; California Judges Association; Federal Judges Association; San Francisco Bay Area Intellectual Property Inn of Court; Santa Clara County Bar Association; State Bar of California

Chambers of Chief Magistrate Judge Maria-Elena James continued**Staff**

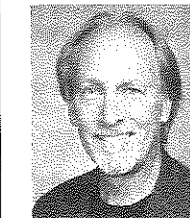
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James Larson
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Stanford 1965 BA; UCLA 1968 JD
Began Service: May 28, 1997



Legal Practice: Private Practice (1968-1997)

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Kathleen Campbell** (415) 522-6226
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Bernard Zimmerman
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Chicago 1970 JD
Began Service: November 21, 1995
Term Expires: November 21, 2011

Academic: Professor, Law School, Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College (1971-1972)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Frederick Heebe, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana (1970-1971)

Government: Assistant, Office of the State Public Defender, State of California (1975); Legal Consultant, Third Constitutional Convention, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (1995)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Pillsbury, Madison & Sutro (1972-1994)

Staff

Law Clerk **Boris Reznikov** (415) 522-4093
Began Service: September 2010
Term Expires: September 2011
Education: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo 2005 BS; U Washington 2010 JD
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Term Expires: October 2011
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Term Expires: 2011
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Marilyn Hall Patel
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
Education: Wheaton (IL) 1959 BA; Fordham 1963 JD
Began Service: 1980
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Government: Attorney, Immigration and Naturalization Service, United States Department of Justice (1967-1971)

Judicial: Judge, Alameda County Municipal Court (1976-1980)

Legal Practice: Benson & Morris (1963-1964); Corporation Trust Company (1964-1967); Private Practice (1964-1967); Private Practice (1972-1976)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; National Association of Women Judges

Staff

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Education: Harvard 2009 JD
Law Clerk **Andrew Gilden** (415) 522-3600
Began Service: 2008
Term Expires: 2012 ()
Education: Georgetown 2007 JD
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Maria-Elena James
Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953
Education: UC Irvine 1975 BA; U San Francisco 1978 JD
Began Service: October 11, 1994
Term Expires: October 2018

Government: Director, Office of the District Attorney, Consumer Fraud Unit, State of California (1978-1980); Deputy Public Defender, State of California (1979-1983); Attorney, National Labor Relations Board (1984-1988); Deputy City Attorney, City and County of San Francisco, State of California (1988-1989); Commissioner, Superior Court of California (1989-1994)

Current Memberships: Charles Houston Bar Association; San Francisco Bar Association